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SUBJECT: LITHUANIA WILL CONSIDER FUNDING SPECIAL TRIBUNAL
FOR LEBANON

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Classified By: DCM Damian R. Leader for reasons 1.4 (b) and (d)

(C) Post discussed reftel points with the MFA's Counselor of the Middle East and Africa Division Rosita Soryte. She expressed some skepticism that the Special Tribunal for Lebanon will be effective but nevertheless, said the GOL is supportive of it and will consider contributing. Failing that, she said the GOL would encourage continued EU funding.
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